

Area: 650 square kilometers

Population: 6.7 millions

Established in 1591 by Muhammad Quli Qutb Shah, Hyderabad remained under the rule of the Qutb Shahi dynasty for nearly a century before the Mughals captured the region

Hyderabad was historically known as a pearl and diamond trading centre, and it continues to be known as the City of Pearls. Many of the city's traditional bazaars remain open, including Laad Bazaar, Begum Bazaar and Sultan Bazaar. Industrialisation throughout the 20th century attracted major Indian manufacturing, research and financial institutions, including Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited, the National Geophysical Research Institute and the Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology. Special economic zones dedicated to information technology have encouraged companies from India and around the world to set up operations in Hyderabad. The emergence of pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries in the 1990s led to the area's naming as India's "Genome Valley". With an output of US\$74 billion, Hyderabad is the fifth-largest contributor to India's overall gross domestic product.

There are 13 universities in Hyderabad: two private universities, two deemed universities, six state universities and three central universities. The central universities are the University of Hyderabad,[226] Maulana Azad National Urdu University and the English and Foreign Languages University.[227] Osmania University, established in 1918, was the first university in Hyderabad and as of 2012 is India's second most popular institution for international students.[228] The Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Open University, established in 1982, is the first distance-learning open university in India.[229]

Hyderabad is also home to a number of centres specialising in particular fields such as biomedical sciences, biotechnology and pharmaceuticals,[230] such as the National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER) and National Institute of Nutrition (NIN).[231] Hyderabad has five major medical schools—Osmania Medical College, Gandhi Medical College, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Deccan College of Medical Sciences and Shadan Institute of Medical Sciences[232]—and many affiliated teaching hospitals. The Government Nizamia Tibbi College is a college of Unani medicine.[233] Hyderabad is also the headquarters of the Indian Heart Association, a non-profit foundation for cardiovascular education.[234]

Institutes in Hyderabad include the National Institute of Rural Development, the Indian School of Business, the Institute of Public Enterprise, the Administrative Staff College of India and the Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy. Technical and engineering schools include the International Institute of Information Technology, Hyderabad (IIITH), Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani – Hyderabad (BITS Hyderabad) and Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad (IIT-H) as well as agricultural engineering institutes such as the International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT) and the Acharya N. G. Ranga Agricultural University. Hyderabad also has schools of fashion design including Raffles Millennium International, NIFT Hyderabad and Wigan and Leigh College. The National Institute of Design, Hyderabad (NID-H), will offer undergraduate and postgraduate courses from 2015.[235]Hyderabad - Wikipedia

## IT Companies in Hyderabad

Organization	Origin	Services of Organization
Accenture	USA	IT services, consulting, outsourcing
Adaptec	USA	Computer devices
Alliance Global Services	USA	IT Services, consulting
ADP	USA	IT services,outsourcing
Agilent Technologies	USA	Electronic testing,network analysing
Amazon.com	USA	E-Commerce
AMD	USA	Semiconductors
Analog Devices	USA	Semiconductors DSP
ATI Technologies	USA	Semiconductors
Avaya	USA	Telecommunications
Bank of America	USA	banking,IT
Bose Corporation	USA	Consumer Electronics
Broadcom	USA	Semiconductor
3Com	USA	Computer networks
Computer Associates (CA)	USA	Enterprise software,IT services
Capitol Records	USA	Animation
CFC	USA	Banking,IT services
Conexant	USA	Semiconductors
Covansys	USA	Product development
Convergys	USA	IT consultants
CSC	USA	IT services
24/7 Customer	USA	BPO
Cypress Semiconductors	USA	Semiconductors
Dell	USA	IT,hardware
Deloitte	USA	IT consulting
Diebold	USA	Integrated Technology Solutions
DST Systems	USA	IT Services
Facebook	USA	Social Networking
FactSet Research Systems	USA	Financial services
First American Corporation	USA	IT services
Franklin Templeton	USA	Asset management and IT services
GE	USA	IT,financial services
GE Capital	USA	Banking
Genpact	USA	IT outsourcing
Google	USA	Web applications
HP	USA	IT services,Product development
Honeywell	USA	Avionics software,Automation control systems,Transpor systems,R&D
IBM	USA	IT,Product services
Infor Global Solutions	USA	ERP software

Intergraph	USA	Product services,software
Intelligroup	USA	IT services
JDA Software	USA	IT services
Keane	USA	Management consultancy services
MarketTools Research Pvt limited.	USA	IT services
Microsoft	USA	Product development,R&D
Motorola	USA	R&D,networking and telecom equipment
NCR Corporation	USA	IT Services
nVIDIA	USA	Semiconductors
Oracle	USA	Database products
Progress Software	USA	Computer software
Qualcomm	USA	Semiconductors
Rockwell Collins	USA	Avionics design
Rhythm and Hues Studios	USA	Animation
SITEL	USA	Outsourcing
Sierra Atlantic	USA	IT services
Sitel	USA	Outsourcing
SSA Global Technologies	USA	Computer Software
Sun Microsystems	USA	Product development
Synopsys	USA	Electronic design and Automation tools
TeamF1	USA	Computer Network and Security
Texas Instruments	USA	Semiconductors,electronics
Teradata	USA	DataWarehousing, Data Appliance & Business Intelligence
Unisys	USA	Data management
Verizon Communications	USA	Communication Services
Virtusa	USA	IT services
Wellsfargo	USA	Banking and IT services
Xilinx	USA	Integrated Circuits
Yahoo!	USA	Web applications
HSBC	UK	Banking,IT services
Invensys	UK	Automation,product services
TNS	UK	IT services
UMC	Taiwan	Semiconductors and IC
UBS	Switzerland	Banking and IT services
Hyundai	Korea	Motors and car designing
Samsung	Korea	Consumer electronics
7Hills Business Solutions	India	Supply Chain Execution software, ITeS
Cognizant Technology Solutions (CTS)	India	IT services and consulting
HCL Technologies	India	IT services
Infosys	India	IT services
iGate	India	IT services
Mahindra Satyam	India	IT services

Mindtree consulting	India	Consulting and IT services
Patni Computer Systems	India	IT services
Reliance Infocomm	India	IT services
Sonata Software	India	IT services
TCS	India	IT services
Tata Elxsi	India	Embedded systems
VSNL	India	Networking,Telecomm
Wipro	India	IT services
Zensar Technologies	India	IT services
Siemens AG	Germany	Consumer and medical electronics
Alcatel-Lucent	France	Communications
Capgemini	France	IT services,consulting,product development
Thomson	France	Consumer electronics
Nokia	Finland	Telecom
CGI	Canada	IT services

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